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### NEGROES LABOR FAITHFULLY IN THE GREAT ALLIED MEMORIAL DRIVE AMERICAN WOODMEN WILL ENTERTAIN TUESDAY NIGHT

#### ALL RECORDS SMASHED!

K. of P. Gets Flying Start on Its \$100,000 Building Campaign.

One-third of the Entire Sum Subscribed in First Effort—Unusual Enthusiasm Characterizes Activity of Hustling Workers.

For two weeks prior to last Friday night, members of the order of Knights of Pythias had been engaged in working up a monster mass meeting which was held at Academy Hall, 14th Street and Michigan avenue. Very little noise was made concerning the matter because attendance was confined to members of the organization. The general public was neither invited nor expected.

The meeting was the climax to the first step in the movement to finance a Pythian Temple in Kansas City which it is proposed shall be the finest and most complete structure of its kind owned by Negroes anywhere in this country.

Viewed from every standpoint the climax to the first effort was overwhelmingly successful. In attendance interest and enthusiasm the meeting was everything that could have been desired, while in the result attained, it exceeded the most hopeful expectation of the men and women who composed the committee having the management of the campaign in charge. At the close of the roll call, when the lodges and courts had all reported, the secretaries who had been keeping track of the figures as the reports were made, announced that a total of \$30,000.00 in subscriptions had been reported. The announcement brought forth a demonstration of approval on part of those who were present. Grand Chancellor A. W. Lloyd who was present, congratulated the committee and its officers on the wonderful showing that had been made.

In congratulating Chairman L. A. Knox, he said: "In my judgment, this is the greatest showing ever made in a financial effort put forth by our people anywhere in this country. Thirty thousand dollars is a large sum and to produce it in one effort, convinces me that Kansas City's Pythians and Calathians have their eyes set on success. Any doubt concerning victory which have heretofore existed—and I have no knowledge that there have been any—must be dispelled by this result. This result is conclusive. It can indicate nothing but that success for the temple project is certain and assured."

The Pythian Temple is to be the most pretentious building ever attempted by the Negroes of the West. Plans have been submitted to the general building, which is composed of three members from each lodge and court in Kansas City by the architects showing a four story structure with an elegant theatre, suites of office rooms, store rooms for merchants, large spacious lodge halls with every modern convenience, including elevator service and a public entertainment hall which is to be adequate to the needs of the day.

When organized, the company is to be incorporated as the Pythian Temple Association. It is to be a joint stock company in which the shareholders participate both in profits and control according to the number of shares held. The committee is planning the revenue-producing features of the building with idea in view of being able to pay annual dividends of 10% on the capital invested. The interest which exists is very encouraging to the committee and its officers. A splendid rivalry has developed between the "Big Four" lodges: New Era, Progress, Advance and Kaw Valley. New Era Lodge No. 40 reported the largest subscription of any lodge at the Friday night meeting

but they were closely pressed by Progress and Edward Jones, John H. Sample, Ed Bennett and "Billy" Hueston who are handling the campaign in Progress lodge, say that when the next report is made, New Era will be removed from the post of honor. Frank Amos, Henry Donald, Dr. T. A. Jones, W. McManamy and the "boys" of New Era simply look wise and smile when told what the leaders of Progress say. McKinley lodge is a candidate in a quiet way for the honors of leadership in this campaign and unless the "Big Four" look to their laurels they may have to become a "Big Five" or something of that kind.

"I am pleased beyond measure with the spirit displayed by both the lodges and courts in this campaign," said Chairman L. A. Knox when asked for a statement for publication. "The determination and zeal which are being put into this effort by the men and women is of the kind that can accomplish anything. I find no evidence of opposition anywhere everywhere there are only expressions of loyalty and the intense desire to win victory. The ladies of the courts are setting into action in a fine way now, and we best I miss my guess, some of the courts like Bertha T. Buckner, Zenith Lillie M. Johnson or Ivanhoe, stand a mighty fine chance of reaching their quota before any of the men's lodges. I'm entirely satisfied with the result of the first effort, because I believe it not only assures success, but that it indicates success will come before we had expected to reach it."

The campaign is still going forward with the second step timed to conclude Thanksgiving Day. By that time, it is expected that the 745 subscribers reported Friday night will be increased to 1500. Those who have subscribed for shares and the number of shares taken by each up to this time are: Ed Finley; W. L. Jones; Henry Johnson; Lee Howard; Ed Taylor; Fred Rogers; S. L. Davis; Julius Clark; N. G. Williams; J. J. Modley; Geo. Page; Richard Hart; Sam Burke; C. G. Mitchell; Emmett Lee; Wm. Matthews; Joseph Halley; Lilly Lodge; Ed Moore; Frank Watkins; Edgar Sneed; Timothy Jackson; J. B. Oden; S. V. Martin; Doc Bean; Dr. A. F. Radford; Dan Terry; J. F. Johnson; Mack Rucker; Geo. Maberry; Geo. E. Payne; Thos. Graham; Engal Logan; Clarence Jones; James Taylor; Clarence Hickman; Orange Blanchard; Henry Bailey; E. J. Hines; Ernest Nickerson; Fred W. Dabney; Ed Jones; Wm. Haaten; J. W. Birch; Charles Grear; G. Melford; R. B. Stockard; Joe Roberson; Harry Carson; Lewis Wigginton; W. C. Hueston; Martin Young; Henry Avery; John Gardner; Arthur McFadden; G. G. Mason; Edgar Barbour; Charles Howard; Scott Fledge; U. S. Johnson; Sebree Williams; Frank Miller; Edw. S. Lewis; D. R. Pierce; Thos. N. Grant; James Green; D. B. Jackson; J. W. Jones; Joe Gudson; Powell Glover; Wm. Roberson; E. F. Butler; Robt. Burns; Henry Jones; Charles Williams; J. W. Schuler; Noble A. Clay; J. H. Sample; Wm. Ballard; E. D. Bennett; D. H. Har-



Rev. W. A. Campbell, Supervisor of American Woodmen of this District and one of the most energetic and successful Supervisors this splendid Order has produced.

terson; Frank Williams; W. A. Willis; B. W. Walker; P. N. Smith; T. A. Enyard; Progress lodge; K. C. Lodge No. 59; Morris Murray; Albert Bluff; Preston Bag; Chas. Lyons; John Glover; Cora Cerey; Sam Edwards; Geo. Logan; Wm. Holway; James Greer; Wm. Kyles; Elijah Jones; W. L. White; Ben Hopkins; C. C. Smith; H. C. Bryant; Irvin Duckett; Wm. L. Quick; Solon Fox; Daisy Neal; Charles Braxton; Henry Whitcomb; L. A. Knox; Wm. Houston; Geo. H. Walker; J. E. Carpenter; Frank Duncan; Christopher Smith; B. B. Francis; Geo. S. Bradley; Alonzo Hart; O. T. Redd; F. B. Cochran; Walter Guthrie; Walter Lynn; Wm. H. Lyons; W. G. Mosely; John Lang Lodge; Wm. T. Holt; Wm. Williams; Wm. Clark; Walter Wood; Milton K. Gehring; Linsey Robinson; Thos. Wilkes; Irvin Harris; W. F. McCarry; Stewart Watson; Herman Greenwood; Sam McDaniels; Robt. Poston; Floyd Brown; Tony Cook; Ward Mitchell; Leroy Harris; Roy Wallace; James H. Wood; Cicero Reese; Ralph Campbell; Thomas Harrison; Jesse Dickert; Bonnie Jasper; Company C; Robt. L. Carter; Thos. White; C. H. Warwick; Al Henderson; Thos. White; T. J. Bibbs; Arthur Fry; St. Clair McCoy; Wm. Thomas; J. C. Brown; Arthur Sadtler; J. W. Rayner; Harvey Westbrook; Wm. Finley; A. G. Madison; Jas. Wm. Finley; Ben Brooks; Harry Gibson; W. E. Murdoch; Clifton Ward; the Woods; Lewis Davis; Thomas Hawkins; Ozie Morris; John Roberts; Louis Porter; R. F. Isaacs; Lon Benton; Arthur Wallace; Zashary Wilburn; Wm. Wells; Theo. Rowan; Charles Hance; John F. Gudge; R. H. Jackson; Onward Lodge; E. H. Fields; Andrew Baccot; W. H. Henderson; Thos. Lewis; Frank Johnson; Fred Baldwin; S. Leach; H. Walker; C. Nelson; Ollie Clay; A. Clark; W. L. Clark; W. J. Wilson; A. Staples; W. Kimball; Ernie Black; R. Walker; Tom Blue; J. D. Brown; Clarence Hughes; N. E. Powell; Wm. Marcus; O. M. Robinson; B. Perkins; F. C. Nixon; Howard Bruce; Wm. Simms; L. A. Banks; T. L. Christwell; C. M. Black; Sam-

uel Zellars; L. J. Foster; Thos. Foster; B. Lawson; Lon Ivory; Charles Johnson; Everett Buford; Company B; Advance Lodge; Mrs. Roy O. Cowan; Carnation Co. B; Don H. Rife; Second Reg. U. S. R. K. of P.; A. W. Lloyd; W. T. Ansell; J. B. Coleman; 4.

Prudence Court; Clarence Jones; Mary Jones; Mrs. J. D. Smith; Nellie Whitmore; Anna Gudge; Emma Denton; Narcissus Glover; Mrs. W. L. Jones; M. E. Daugherty; Fannie Jones; Ella Randall; Carrie Bennett; Hattie Bogges; Frankie Carter; Lella Allen; Carrie White; Florence E. Birch; Pearl M. Dabney; Inez P. Chinn; Lucy Wilkinson; Katie Brooks; Mary Taylor; Bessie Williams; Harry Cooper; White Rose Pride; Jewelles; Mattie Davis; Cherry Westbrook; Elizabeth Oneal; Lena Stewart; Alma Mosely; Ada Buckner; Mollie Smith; Mamie Quick; Susie Smith; Nora Allen; Lizzie Robinson; Sarah Frazier; White Rose Court; Edna K. Carlock; Anna Seages; Mattie Porter; Mildred Wells; Ada Lee Frazier; Edith Rollins; Lillie P. Kinney; Susan J. Hubbard; Advance Court; Marie B. Wheeler; Della Burson; Josephine Lewis; Lucy Bryant; Jennie Roswell; Paris Boswell; V. J. Lee; Rosebud Court; Alice M. Bush; Laura Aikens; Jennie Durant; Louvella Harris; Evelyn Simms; Mary Holt; Eva Ford; Bessie Curt; Susie Hastin; Alice Mar-



Supreme Commander C. M. White of the American Woodmen who has built this organization up until it is one of the most substantial as well as strong Orders of the race. Hear him Tuesday night at Ward Chapel.

#### MANHATTAN, KANS.

The Misses Mattie Jackson, Awilda Brown, Helen Beck and Madge Scott were hostesses at a very pretty little Halloween party given Tuesday night October 28 at the Community House on South 9th St. The hall was very prettily decorated in orange and black; autumn leaves and corn were also used in abundance. Games were played from nine until ten and the young people danced from ten until twelve. There was a variety of costumes from clowns to witches. The hostesses were dressed alike in Yam Yam suits of orange and black. Doughnut, gingerbread, cider and apples were served; souvenirs were small black witches. The guests were limited to College and High School students. Prof. E. C. Freeman, who has been in the "Y" work at Camp Funston for more than one year is at home again.

#### SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Fourth and last Sunday of the home coming event November 2 proved a great success. The sisters were more than a match for the brothers. The sisters reported a grand total of \$13,000 against the small sum of \$42.75 by the brothers. It was agreed that whosoever reported the smallest amount would entertain the victors by a banquet. The brothers are making preparation to lavishly entertain the sisters. Rev. J. L. Dudley selected for his discourse Judges 4:21, which was very appropriate for the occasion. The date for the banquet will appear in the next issue of this paper. We extend an invitation to all.

One of the most appreciated gifts to the Memorial Campaign was that of little Leota B. Martin of 2314 Tracy avenue. Little Miss Martin came to the Sun office and producing \$5.00 said "I want to give this to the Memorial and Allied Charities fund" and smiled sweetly as though it was a real pleasure. Leota is one of the most promising pupils of Wendell Phillips school, is the daughter of Mr. Geo. C. Martin the well known painter and artist who himself saw ten years service in the regular army. Such patriotic children as little Leota are to be the salvation of the race.

Mr. Edw. Jordan of Detroit, Mich. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, 319 Oakland avenue, Kansas City, Kas.

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#### AMERICAN WOODMEN RECEPTION

Hon. C. M. White, Supreme Commander of the Organization Will Be the Guest of Honor Next Tuesday Night.

The American Woodmen, the most substantial and rapidly growing order among the Negroes of this section will have an entertainment and reception at Ward Chapel, 12th and Woodland next Tuesday night, November 11 and will be honored with the presence of the Supreme Commander, Hon. C. M. White of Denver, Colo., who is recognized as one of the most astute and successful business men the race has yet produced.

That Mr. White made no mistake in placing as Supervisor in this city, Mr. W. A. Campbell has already been demonstrated by the rapid progress this Camp has made. From a membership of 20, Camp 5 has grown until it now has eight hundred of the best Negroes in Kansas City as members. The field has grown so large until a demand is now being made for five more active and hustling Deputies to be placed on good salary. Supervisor Campbell and his splendid corps of Deputies are adding new members daily. A Campaign has been launched whereby two prizes will be given away as follows: first prize of \$10.00 in gold to the member who brings in the largest number of members over ten; and \$5.00 will be given to the member bringing in second largest number of members.

The reception and entertainment Tuesday night will be largely attended. No admission fee but the ladies will serve refreshments of all kinds.

If you are not an American Woodman, get in touch with Supervisor Campbell and he will come and talk it over with you. His Bell Phone East 4648.

#### MEMORIAL COMMITTEE REPORT.

We take this opportunity to thank all persons who so kindly assisted and gave their support in the Liberty Memorial and Allied Charities Campaign.

We also wish to thank all organizations that gave their support, especially the Clio Art Club, Harmony Art Club, Grace Art Club, Kewpie Club and Lone Star Chapter No. 2, C. E. S., Lincoln High School and all the ward schools, most of whom gave 100 per cent. The churches who so willingly opened their doors for solicitation deserves special thanks for their 100 per cent in subscriptions and loyalty.

#### T. C. UNTHANK.

Chairman.  
MRS. E. C. BUNCH.  
Women's Division Chairman.

The following is our report to date:

Division 1—	Mrs. Ida M. Becks, 1,147	\$ 7,691.05
Division 2—	Mrs. Nelson C. Crews, 517	3,150.35
Division 3—	Prof H O Cook, 659	3,194.64
Division 4—	Dr. G. W. Brown, 67	795.00
Division 5—	Mr. Felix H Payne, 73	4,714.25
Wednesday	797	\$ 7,720.00
Totals	3,896	\$24,965.00

The Colored people of this city sincerely hope that our ex-service men will properly represent the race by making a grand showing in the Armistice Day parade next Tuesday November 11. Boys if you are not ashamed of what the race did in the world's war and the splendid record of the Negro soldiers, then you'll put on your uniform and turn out on this day of days. Go to it, boys.

#### OLD SETTLERS MEET.

A meeting of old settlers, those who have lived here more than 25 years, was held at the Community Club last Wednesday night and arrangements were perfected for an other meeting next Wednesday night at 8 o'clock at same place to elect officers. Willis G. Mosely acted as temporary President and T. B. J. Robinson temporary Secretary. Quite a few were present and many are looked for at next meeting.

#### WAR CAMP COMMUNITY.

The "Pioneer Community Service Club" met Monday evening and outlined their program for fall festivities. The Community Singing Wednesday was unusually interesting; Prof. Drury, dramatist and musician was present and assisted in carrying out the program. Mr. Forest Smith gave a splendid talk to the boys. A large number of ex-service men were present and before the meeting adjourned a crowd of masqueraders came in the hall and were seated until their mission was announced. Mrs. Ida Hicks stated that the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Second Baptist church had come to give the ex-service men a Halloween surprise, bringing with them a crowd of masqueraders came in the hall and were seated until their mission was announced. Mrs. Ida Hicks stated that the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Second Baptist church had come to give the ex-service men a Halloween surprise, bringing with them a crowd of masqueraders came in the hall and were seated until their mission was announced. Mrs. Ida Hicks stated that the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the Second Baptist church had come to give the ex-service men a Halloween surprise, bringing with them a crowd of masqueraders came in the hall and were seated until their mission was announced.

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This increase is allowing for the taking over of the second floor at present headquarters, principally for girls' work, also for the enlarging of our staff of workers. Miss Bettie Lee is the first to be added and with her experience with young men and women in the school room, also her musical ability, will assist in carrying out a more vigorous community program. A recent wire from National Headquarters says we will be furnished with a lady Recreational Secretary.

#### BLUE TRIANGLE LEAGUE NOTES.

Vesper service will be held at Pleasant Green Baptist church Sunday, November 9. The subject for the day will be "What Jesus said of Himself."

Pledges to the Blue Triangle League may be paid at Headquarters, 1824 Paseo.

The Girl Reserve Corps had a joint Halloween party at Lincoln High School. Over a hundred girls masked in Halloween costumes and enjoyed Halloween fun. Refreshments consisting of peanuts, apples, cider and gingersnaps were served.

#### SHORTER HONORS NEW PASTOR

REV. THOMAS ALL SMILES.

If the true temperature of good feeling which now pervades at Shorter church which was taken at their reception of the new pastor, it could be truly said that years have passed by since such an ardent demonstration by all classes and kind ranging from children to the aged. Tuesday night a grand reception evidencing the warmth of spirit and loyalty of the church was given at the church; quite 400 people participated at the banquet tables. Speeches were made by the pastors of the city and the hymns.

A rousing welcome from all the officials and a spirit of good cheer possessed both those of the membership and on- members. Much good work is anticipated as the pastor came to pastor Denver and not merely be restricted to his denomination. Mindful of his added responsibilities to make good because of the many good things said about him, he has rolled up his sleeves and has heartily entered into his work. It can be justly said that his sweet disposition won as many friends at the reception as did the pastor. The Star congratulates Shorter on her new progressive pastor. May his success be city and state wide.—Denver Star.

#### DANCE!

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Friday, November 14

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#### D. W. Griffith's "Broken Blossoms"

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Love's Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

is one of the greatest pictures ever screened and every Negro in the two cities should avail themselves of the opportunity of seeing "Broken Blossoms" on one of the three days. Love's Theatre has arranged a great programme for the occasion.

#### Board of Education Day

at Lincoln High School

SUNDAY, NOV. 16